

The Good Shepherd

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Sunday 8th + TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Sunday 08 Sept	9.30 am	TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY	Missa pro populo
Monday 09 Sept		St Peter Claver	
Tuesday 10 Sept		Weekday in Ordinary Time	
Wednesday 11 Sept	NO MASS TODAY	Weekday in Ordinary Time	
Thursday 12 Sept		The Most Holy Name of Mary	
Friday 13 Sept		St John Chrysostom, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	
Saturday 14 Sept	10.00am	THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS	HAPPY Future for Maria Grazia and Ivan
Sunday 15 Sept	9.30 am	TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Missa pro populo

PARISH NEWSLETTER Please submit notices (by Wednesday 8pm) - to Fr Larkin by email at pp.thegoodshepherd@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

PARISH OFFERING - Average monthly SO £2,065

25/08/2024 Week 21 - Total £103.20 | Coffee £6.75 | Candles £10.00 | WK20 CO £4.80

01/09/2024 Week 22 - Total £73.10 | Coffee £6.00 | Candles £14.50 | WK21 CO £3.00

BANKED –September 02 – £76.00 | WK21 CO £0.10 Carried over.

Thank you for your continued support.

THIS SUNDAY: Collection for the Catholic Education Service

NEXT SUNDAY: Collection for Evangelii Gaudium Day (Home Mission Sunday)

PARISH GIVING If you wish to set up a standing order account details:

Good Shepherd - Sort Code 40-27-15 - Account No. 21023209

Thank you for your support it is very much appreciated.

CANON JOE TAYLOR It is with great sadness to inform you that Canon Joe Taylor died on the morning of Sunday 1st September. Please pray for the repose of his soul and for his

family and friends at this time. Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace. Amen.

NO MASS - Wednesday 11 September –

Requiem Mass for John Carr RIP Sacred Heart and St. Patrick, Sowerby Bridge– Wednesday 11 September 2024 at 10.30am, followed by burial at Sowerby Cemetery.

QUIZ NIGHT – pencil in the date of Friday 18 October (6.30pm) in your diaries. Now the summer holidays are over join us for another exciting social evening of trivia! So, get swotting up on your general knowledge and rebus puzzles! Tea, coffee, juice, and a pie & pea supper will be served. Ticket price £5 per person or £15 per family (2 adults + 2 children or 1 adult + 3 children). Bring your own booze. Virtual tickets can be purchased from Julie & Jo following Sunday Masses.

FOOTSTEPS after Mass this Sunday. - All children and young people welcome.

GS LUNCHEON CLUB We look forward to welcoming our guests back to the GS Luncheon Club when we resume lunches on **Wednesday 11 September**. Many thanks. Anne.

REJOICE IN HOPE – Friday 13 September, 7pm, St Patricks Church, Elland, HX5 0PU Mission Halifax invite you to 'Rejoice in Hope' (formerly Come & See) – a monthly prayer group looking towards the Year of Hope. There will be Adoration, praise & worship, prayer, and opportunity for social time following. All welcome. Follow us on Facebook and Instagram - @missionhalifax

FOOTSTEPS is cancelled this week. We will meet up next Sunday 08, instead. See you then.

JOIN US FOR COMMUNAL PRAYER at the Good Shepherd as we gather to seek the blessing of the Holy Spirit upon the forthcoming synod in Rome, its participants, and beyond. We will meet on three consecutive Fridays—13, 20, and 27 September—at 12 noon. This is a special time for our community to come together in faith, and your presence would be a blessing. All are warmly welcome to join us in prayer and reflection. Let us unite in spirit as we pray for guidance and grace.

MARCH FOR LIFE, LONDON Saturday 7 September 2024. A coach will depart from Hinsley Hall, Leeds at 6.30am, following Holy Mass at 6.00am in the Chapel. Please contact Kate on 07505 767415 if you would like to book a seat or for further details. For further information on the day's events in London, please visit <https://www.marchforlife.co.uk> Return to Leeds at approximately 9.30pm.

CARITAS LEEDS DAY OF REFLECTION AND ACTION Please join us to find out more about the ongoing development of Caritas Leeds, how it links with Catholic Social Teaching and how you can become involved in social action taking positive steps to make an impact on what Pope Francis refers to as "globalisation of indifference". Saturday 21 September 10am - 3.30pm, Hinsley Hall, LS6 2BX. Lunch included. Register at www.tinyurl.com/caritasleeds

ANNUAL LEEDS DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM The Annual Leeds Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham will take place this year on Saturday 28 September 2024. The Pilgrimage will be led by the Dean of the Cathedral, Very Rev Canon Matthew Habron. It will begin with the Angelus and the celebration of Holy Mass at 12:00 Noon at the Shrine located near the Slipper Chapel. The Mass will be followed by a break for Lunch. At 2:30pm there will be a Solemn Procession into the village of Walsingham, concluding with Vespers and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament in the grounds of the Ancient Shrine around 3:30pm.

ANNUAL BATLEY TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION Monday 7 October 2024, 7:30pm. St Mary's Catholic Primary School processing to the nearby St Mary of the Angels' Catholic Church. Led by Mgr Paul Grogan, and the sermon preached by Fr Simon Lodge, the Torchlight Procession is a fine expression of our Catholic faith and gives honour to Mary, Mother of God. Refreshments will be served in the parish hall afterwards.

LOURDES PILGRIMAGE 2025 - APPEAL FOR GP We are looking to appoint a GP to join our volunteer clinical team for the annual diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes. The 2025 pilgrimage runs from Friday 4 - Thursday 10 July. As part of the clinical team, you would be working alongside other doctors and nurses to support the pilgrims. For more information, please contact lourdes.enquiries@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

LAUDATO SI ANIMATOR NEEDED (VOLUNTEER ROLE) Are you passionate about our Climate Emergency and want to do more? Could you be the new *Laudato Si* Animator for the Leeds Diocese (the current one is retiring)? For more details email jandp@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

CHURCHES TOGETHER QUIZ NIGHT Come and meet others from the local churches and test your brain cells At the Good Shepherd Friday 20 September 7pm – 9pm. Tea and coffee will be available but you can bring your own drink. Hope to see you on the 20 September 7pm

40 DAYS FOR LIFE-PRAYER, fasting and peaceful vigil outside the MSI abortion facility, Leeds. 25 September to 03 November, 7am to 7pm. The last sign of hope and first sign of mercy to those attending MSI Leeds. Over 24,000 lives saved by campaigns worldwide since 2007. (Please take a flyer from the back of church). To get involved as a prayer partner or as a vigil volunteer contact: Chris Redding 07815681343 email 40daysforlifeleeds@gmail.com, Further information at www.40daysforlife.com/Leeds

LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR FUNDRAISING IRISH NIGHT to help the new building fund for Mount St Joseph's. Friday 27 September at 7.30pm at Leeds Irish Centre, Tickets £20.00 with Irish Stew, Irish Dessert a licensed bar. Great Irish band and dancing, great raffle and action. Please come along and support the Little sisters with their Building Appeal. Thankyou! funds.leeds@lsplondon.co.uk

CHURCH WEEKEND This year will be October Friday 11 to Sunday 13. Church weekend 2024: Booking forms are in Church entrance. You are welcome.

SISTER ACT to be presented by Bradford Catholic Players: 13 - 16 November 2024 at Yeadon Town Hall Theatre, Wed-Fri at 7.30 pm, Saturday 1pm & 5.30. Ticket Prices: Wednesday: Adults £18, Under 18 £5, Thursday to Saturday: Adults £23, Under 18 £10 Tickets are flying off the shelves, so don't miss your chance to experience this joyous show. Secure your seats today. To book your tickets:

Visit Ticket Source link: ticketsource.co.uk/bradfordcatholicplayers

Email or call our ticket secretaries at bcptickets@live.co.uk or 07305 632 513

SAFEGUARDING IS EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY A new safeguarding dashboard is about to be launched by the Diocese of Leeds which highlights important information to be cascaded to group leaders and parishioners to read regarding safeguarding our vulnerable. Church group leaders are encouraged to have awareness of the Catholic Standards Safeguarding Agency (CSSA) policies and guidelines in case of audit. It is also important that you know where to locate these policies, please visit -

<https://catholicsafeguarding.org.uk/resources/national-safeguarding-policy/>

The Diocese of Leeds Safeguarding Team is available Monday to Friday 8am– 4pm and can be contacted via: Email: Direct any concerns to: Safeguarding@dioceseofleeds.org.uk
Phone: You can also report your concerns by speaking to one of the Safeguarding Team on 0113 2618046

FLOWER ROTA | | 08 September. Liz McLaughlin

15 September. Mary Harwood. 22 September. Doris Moorhead

29 September. Dorothy Burns. Thank you, Doris.

E-NEWS EDITOR VACANCY required by the Justice & Peace Commission. We need someone to actively seek out articles from across the Diocese of Leeds, edit them (occasionally write!) and upload them to the news and views sections of our website. Training in using Wordpress provided where needed. Approximately 10hrs per month @ £20 per hour. Email treasurer.jandp@dioceseofleeds.org.uk for more information

CAFOD'S HARVEST FAST DAY APPEAL Friday 4 October. You can donate during parish collections for CAFOD's Family Fast Day appeal this Harvest season. Remember to pick up your Family Fast Day envelope and Gift Aid your donation if you can. You can also give online at cafod.org.uk/envelope. More information, including the wonderful story of Daniel who has been supported to learn new carpentry skills to enable him earn money to help feed his family at <https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/event/cafods-family-fast-day-appeal/>